

Maximian fought against CARAUSIUS,
but his forces were turned back,
by Carausius powerful navy.

C 289

d 283 (murdered)

CARAVIUS (KŪrō'sheus

Galla-Roman military commander. He was stationed in Gaul but Emperor MAXIMIAN suspected him of conspiring with the Germans and condemned him to death. Caravius fled to Britain & established his rule there, defying attempts to conquer him.

MAXIMIAN finally recognized him as co-emperor & he established his rule

in N.E. Gaul as well as in Britain.

In 293, however, Constantius (later Constantine?)
defeated him & he was murdered
by one of his own men.